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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE
BEFORE THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES

APPLICATION OF) GROUP: 1754
GÜNTER LINDE ET AL)
SERIAL NO.: 09/646,450) EXAMINER: STEVEN J. BOS
FILED: SEPTEMBER 14, 2000)
TITLE: COMPACTED CARBON BLACK PELLETS)

NOTICE OF APPEAL FROM THE EXAMINER TO THE
BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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Sir:

Appellants hereby appeal to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the Office Action of the Examiner dated June 16, 2003
in which Claims 20, 21, 23-25, 27-29, and 31-34

were finally rejected.
 twice rejected.

APPEAL FEE \$320.00

- Enclosed
- NOT REQUIRED - Examiner reopened prosecution after fee was paid in earlier appeal which did not result in a decision by the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences.
- CHARGE TO DEPOSIT ACCOUNT NO. 50-2527. Two additional copies of this Notice are enclosed herewith.
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